



## Thomas Paul Foryt

May 22, 1951 - October 25, 2016

Thomas "TJ" Foryt, age 65, (of Lehigh Acres, FL and formally of Pittsburgh, PA) free spirit, school teacher, fisherman, sometimes lucky gambler, beach comber and traveler, died suddenly and peacefully at home on Oct. 25th, 2016. TJ was born May 22nd, 1951. He attended Gateway High School and graduated from Edinboro University and played football for both. He was a member of Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity. In his spare time, TJ also was a fantastic high school and college football referee. "Tommy Foryt" was a soul mate, husband, and best friend to Laurel. He was "Daddy" to Katie "Bugs" Foryt (Jon Piper) and Sarah "The Bean" Spehar (Ronnie Spehar ... "Son"). He was grandpa and "Pappy Florida" to Lila "Lila Bean" Spehar. He was a loving brother to Kathy "KT" Taylor. He and Laurel enjoyed many best friend adventures with Calvin "Cal" and Cathy "Miss Catherine" Kulik. As a teacher, his most important lesson was to live life to the fullest - today. Because his faith was the foundation of his life, Donations can be made to the United Methodist Children's Home. Memorial Service will be held on November 19, at 10:00 am at Christ United Methodist Church of Lehigh Acres FL, 1430 Homestead Rd. N. Lehigh Acres FL 33936

# Tribute Wall



“ Thomas Paul Foryt

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Mr.Foryt was an amazing teacher. He taught and advised me about what to expect in life. He motivated and inspired me to go to college, he was a teacher that cared about you and wanted to you achieve. I'm glad I got him as a teacher for my last year at Lehigh senior, his class was filled with joy and knowledge. I am sorry for your loss and May Mr.Foryt Rest In Peace.*



**katelynn** - October 28, 2016 at 09:50 PM



“ *Mr. Forsyth...wonderful person and wonderful teacher. Have not seen him for a few years, but still remember his helpfulness and compassion. His positive influence in kids will forever live. V Crawford*

**vanna** - October 26, 2016 at 07:55 AM